

M-CAREME ACTIVITIES

of the WORLD of FASHION

Several Weddings and
Engagements of
Current Interest
Listed.

Dance for Benefit of
West Side Juvenile
Club to Occur
Thursday.

MI-CAREME will be celebrated this week by New York society in a very gay manner, with small and informal dances, dinners, theatre parties and charitable entertainments filling the day's programme. The next few days will be the busiest, socially speaking, of the Lenten period. Several of the dancing classes will meet and many private entertainments will be given, while the charitable affairs will be more numerous than ever and promise to be more largely attended than any given since Ash Wednesday, for many members of the fashionable world who went South last month have returned to town.

Among those who arrived home last week were Miss Mai Watson, in whose honor her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Watson, gave a birthday party on Friday; W. Whitewright Watson, Miss Elise Ladew, Harvey S. Ladew, Russell Grace, Mr. and Mrs. David Wagstaff, Robert Peters, Charles Lanier, Miss Mimi Scott and Miss Mary Cumcock.

Howard S. Davis is president, Edward S. Brockie vice-president, C. A. Richards secretary and J. Horton Hams treasurer of the West Side Juvenile Club, for the benefit of which a M-Careme costume ball will be given next Thursday night at Sherry's. During the evening there will be an informal vaudeville entertainment by amateurs in society, and there will also be exhibitions of some of the new dances.

Some of the patronesses for the ball are Mrs. Hilborne L. Roosevelt, Mrs. Percy S. Weeks, Mrs. Henry G. Trevor, Mrs. Theodore E. Stelzner, Mrs. J. A. H. Hopkins, Mrs. Henry R. Hoyt, Mrs. Francis V. Davis, Mrs. T. Wilkinson Sartorilwalte, Mrs. Thomas T. Sherman, Mrs. Charles Arthur Richards, Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan, Mrs. Charles King, Mrs. John T. James, Mrs. Langdon Geer, Mrs. Horace Havemeyer, Mrs. Henry G. Bartel, Mrs. George Bullock, Mrs. Howard Davis, Mrs. De Courcy L. Hard, Mrs. Franklin Remington, Mrs. Henry P. Cook, Mrs. Courtland F. Dixon and Mrs. B. Ogden Chisolm.

In the Della Robbia room of the Vanderbilt a dance will be given to-morrow night in aid of the Blue Ridge Industrial School, established twelve years ago to give industrial training to the poor boys and girls in the mountains of Virginia. The patronesses of the dance include Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, Mrs. Paul Phipps, Mrs. George Brewster, Mrs. Riley M. Gilbert, Mrs. W. E. G. Gallard, Mrs. Robert Coleman Taylor, Mrs. Rufus L. Patterson, Mrs. Charles C. Barrows, Mrs. Winthrop Cowdin, Mrs. H. Snowden Marshall, Mrs. Theodore H. Price, Mrs. George Gordon Battle, Mrs. W. Willoughby Sharp and Mrs. Edward de Forest Simmons.

Society is much interested in the Venetian masque to be given next Wednesday night at the Waldorf-Astoria for the benefit of the Sewing Room and Free Employment Exchange for Women. The entertainment will include "Mankynd," a morality play; tableaux, and "Vanitas Venetie," a masque of magnificence, in which men and women in society will appear wearing Venetian costumes. General dancing will follow. On the floor committee will be Charles D. Wetmore, Charles A. Munn, W. Franklyn Paris, Lloyd Warren, Moncreux Robinson, Peter Cooper Hewitt, Walter E. Maynard, Richard Peters, Forbes Morgan and William Travers Jerome, Jr.

Among the patronesses are Mrs. Peter Cooper Hewitt, Mrs. J. Sergeant Cram, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. William Beresford, Mrs. W. Bourke Cockran, Mrs. James F. D. Lanier, Mrs. Stanley Joyntimer, Mrs. James B. Eustis, Mrs. Mary Gould, Mrs. Frank Gray Griswold, Mrs. Otto H. Kahn, Mrs. Amos R. E. Pinehot, Mrs. James Speyer, Mrs. Willard D. Straight, Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, Mrs. Lawrence L. Gillespie, Mrs. Hermann Gelrichs and Miss Caroline Duer.

Several dinners have been arranged to precede the masque ball which will be given at the Hotel Astor on Tuesday, March 3, for the benefit of St. Mark's Hospital. The guests are requested to wear fancy dress and masks, but this is not obligatory. There will be a contest in the one-step, hesitation waltz, tango and maxixe at 11 o'clock, and prizes will be awarded to the winners.

The floor committee will include John C. Anderson, William B. Anderson, Donn Barber, Adams Batcheller, G. K. Bell, Batcheller, H. A. Bayne, G. K. Bell, Matthew Bolles, Howard S. Borden, K. Brice, Charles S. Butler, W. Belknap, Guy Carleton, Walter R. Conklin, George S. Chappell, Roland R. Conklin, Frederic Culver, H. L. Crawford, Victor Cumcock, George E. Dadian, Chandler Davis, W. C. Demore, W. J. Duane, E. B. Essig, Lytleton Fox, Michael Gavin, Arthur F. Gotthold, Louis C. Hay, C. D. Halsey, F. C. Hilliard, Leavitt J. Hunt, R. H. Hunt, Richard M. Hurd, Albert Hopkins, George E. Ide, Arthur C. Jackson, J. P. Kellogg, W. N. Kernan, Thomas W. Lamont, J. P. Lee, E. L. Little, R. L. McDuffie, A. Meacham, A. Jene Moen, Fred P. Moore, P. M. Morrison, H. E. Meeker, Charles Neave, Huntington Norton, H. E. Pense, F. L. Pell, Howard H. Pell, Stowe Phelps, Henry B. Platt, John H. Rhodes, C. Richardson, Thomas Robins, Anton Schaeffer, Thomas W. Slocum, Lorillard Spencer, J. O. Stack, E. Vail Stebbins, J. B. Sheffield, Lindsay Tappin, Newell W. Tilton, John Henry Towne, H. Van Sinderen, G. K. B. Wade, A. R. Whitney, Jr., John L. Wilkie, Lorimer Worden, Melane Van Ingen and Dr. Horace S. Stokes.

Among the patronesses are Mrs. William B. Anderson, Mrs. Frederic Altherton, Mrs. Walter Alexander, Mrs. Robert S.

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Brewster, Mrs. Donn Barber, Mrs. Howard S. Borden, Mrs. Adam Batcheller, Mrs. Irving Brokaw, Mrs. G. Hunter Brown, Mrs. Oscar Bergstrom, Mrs. F. Kingsbury Curtis, Mrs. J. F. A. Clark, Mrs. Oliver De Lancy Coster, Mrs. Arthur Coppel, Mrs. Roland Ray Conklin, Mrs. William P. Draper, Mrs. William Kinnelut Draper, Mrs. Dudley Davis, Mrs. Frederik P. Delafield, Mrs. W. B. Dinsmore, Mrs. Grenville T. Emmett, Mrs. A. Leo Everett, Mrs. Michael Gavin, Mrs. Lawrence Greer, Mrs. C. D. Gibson, Mrs. George A. Hurd, Mrs. Louis C. Hay, Mrs. J. Byers Holbrook, Mrs. Richard M. Hurd, Mrs. Robert Hartsorne, Mrs. Edward S. Harkness, Mrs. Archer Huntington, Mrs. Alpheus Hyatt, Mrs. William L. Harkness, Miss Frances S. Hoppin, Mrs. George Edward Ide, Mrs. Robert Irving Jenks, Mrs. Walter B. James, Mrs. Gustave Town Kirby, Mrs. Walter N. Kernan, Mrs. Adrian H. Larkin, Mrs. Lewis Cass Ledyard, Jr., Mrs. E. S. Martin, Mrs. Henry E. Meeker, Mrs. E. S. J. McVickar, Mrs. Alfred W. Martin, Mrs. Ormsby Macknight Mitchell, Mrs. S. Stanwood Menken, Mrs. Herbert McBride, Mrs. Charles Neave, Mrs. J. R. Ogden, Miss Annabella S. Olyphant, Mrs. Rufus L. Patterson, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt Pell, Mrs. Mansfield Patterson, Mrs. Nathaniel Bowditch Potter, Mrs. Charles W. Pierson, Mrs. Henry Hollister Pease, Mrs. J. Gamble Rogers, Mrs. John Harsen Rhodes, Mrs. Albert Rathbone, Mrs. Thomas Robins, Mrs. Joel Rathbone, Mrs. Samuel Riker, Jr., Mrs. Oren Root, Mrs. Douglas Robinson, Mrs. Charles L. Riker, Mrs. J. Clifford Renard, Mrs. Albert B. Strange, Mrs. Robert A. Sands, Mrs. James R. Sheffield, Mrs. George Bayliss Sanford, Mrs. L. B. Sanderson, Mrs. Charles A. Severance, Mrs. Howard Slade, Mrs. Arthur H. Scribner, Mrs. William R. K. Taylor, Mrs. Henry Graff Trevor, Mrs. Theodore M. Taft, Mrs. Landon K. Thorne, Mrs. Perry D. Traford, Mrs. Henry Villard, Mrs. Oswald G. Villard, Mrs. Julius F. Workum, Mrs. A. Stewart Walker and Mrs. George K. B. Wade.

One of the most important society events of Easter week will be the Easter fete and ball at the Waldorf-Astoria on Monday evening, April 13, the proceeds of which will be applied to the support of free beds for the Loomis Sanatorium Annex.

Mrs. Richard Irwin heads the committee of women interested in this charity, and she has the co-operation of Mrs. John Dineley Prince, Miss May T. Moulton, Miss Elizabeth V. Cockcroft, Miss Mary Ostrander and Miss Eleanor R. Towns.

Lloyd Aspinwall, who has charge of the affair, has secured the services of many prominent young men and women of society and also of well known artists. The entertainment will consist of tableaux, exhibitions of modern dances by amateurs and a one-act play, in which a number of young people will appear.

Some of the women who will take part in the tableaux are Mrs. Maurice Heckscher, Mrs. Walter N. Stillman, Mrs. Lloyd Aspinwall, Mrs. William Erhardt, Mrs. J. Longer de Saules, Miss Beatrice Pratt, Miss Marjorie A. Curtis and Miss E. Constance Fairchild.

Exhibitions of modern dances by amateurs will be an interesting feature of the performance, and general dancing will follow.

Among those who have secured boxes and seats are Mrs. Paul Morton, Mrs. Walter B. James, Mrs. William Church Osborn, Mrs. John E. Parsons, Mrs. James L. Barclay, Mrs. Richard Irvin, Mrs. Cecil Lyon, Mrs. M. Taylor Pyne, Mrs. Edward S. Harkness, Mrs. Hamilton Fish, Mrs. Charles Steele, Mrs. Walter Jennings, Mrs. J. Hobart Warren, Mrs. Curtenus Gillette, Mrs. Henry Seligman, Mrs. Joseph Pulitzer, Mrs. Arthur T. Moulton, Mrs. James Speyer, Mrs. Frederic E. Lewis, Mrs. John Dineley Prince, Mrs. George W. Carleton, Miss Annie

The annual fete of the New York Association for the Blind, which will be held at the Hotel Astor on April 14, will open with a pageant, devised by Miss Carolyn Wells, showing the history of the dance from earliest mythological times down to the present day. General Charles F. Roe will be grand marshal of the fete, Charles Stewart Butler is secretary of the floor committee, and Henry Morgan Post is treasurer. The list of patrons and patronesses includes the President and Mrs. Wilson, Governor and Mrs. Glynn, Mayor and Mrs. Mitchell, the French Ambassador, M. Jusserand; Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador; the Ambassador of Spain and Mme. Riano and the Austrian Ambassador. Among those who have taken boxes are Mrs. William Church Osborn, Miss Annie B. Jennings, Miss Winifred Holt, Mrs. J. C. Bloodgood, Paul Warburg, Arthur Williams and Felix Warburg.

Tickets and boxes may be obtained from Mrs. M. R. Sherwood, No. 111 East 94th street.

For the benefit of the New York Diet Kitchen Association a spring dance will be given at the Plaza on April 15, under the auspices of auxiliary No. 1. Tickets, at \$2.50 each, may be secured from Miss Shirley Dean, secretary, No. 41 Fifth avenue.

Among the patronesses are Mrs. Joseph H. Choate, Mrs. Gordon Ireland, Mrs. John G. McCullough, Mrs. Henry Villard, Mrs. Robert J. Schwarzenbach, Mrs. George Leary, Mrs. Archer M. Hunting-

ton, Mrs. Adrian H. Larkin, Mrs. John Addison Fordyce, Mrs. Robert L. Strebel, Mrs. William B. Dunning, Mrs. Charles Francis Dean, Mrs. Thomas McRae, Mrs. John Ames Mitchell, Mrs. E. Francis Hyde and Mrs. John R. MacArthur.

The marriage of Miss Helen Dinsmore Huntington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Huntington, to Vincent Astor will take place on April 29 in St. Mark's Church, Staatsburg, N. Y., where Mr. and Mrs. Huntington were married twenty-two years ago and where Miss Huntington was christened. A reception will follow at Hopland, the country home of the bride's parents. Mrs. John Astor, who has been abroad for about six weeks, will arrive in New York next week on the Imperator, and the arrangements for the wedding will then be completed. Mr. Astor, who is convalescing from an attack of bronchitis, went to his country place at Rhinebeck yesterday, to remain for several days.

One of the Easter brides will be Miss Elizabeth Burwell Page, daughter of the Rev. Dr. Frank Page, formerly rector of St. John's Church, Brooklyn, whose marriage to Norman Gaynor, son of the late Mayor Gaynor, will be celebrated on April 16 in Fairfax, Va. Miss Page is a niece of Thomas Nelson Page, Ambassador to Italy. Soon after the wedding Mr. Gaynor and his bride will sail for Europe to spend several months in travel. While abroad they will visit Ambassador Page in Rome. Mr. Gaynor is a brother of Mrs. Harry K. Vinut, Mrs. W. Seward Webb, Jr., Mrs. Ralph Isham and Miss Helen Gaynor, whose engagement to E. T. Bedford, 29, was recently announced.

One of the important weddings this week will be that of Mrs. Raymond S.

White, of No. 10 East 63d street, and Francis S. Hutchins, of this city, which will take place next Thursday afternoon at the home of the bride. Only members of the immediate families have been invited. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Dr. William Mercer Grosvenor, dean of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, a cousin of Mr. Hutchins.

Announcement was made last week of the engagement of Miss Helen W. White, daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Erskine W. White, of this city, to William J. Romaine, of Headley Road, Morristown, N. J. Miss White lives with her sister, Miss Edith Norman White, at No. 55 East 96th street. Mr. Romaine is a member of the Morristown Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hayward Giffin, of Upper Montclair, N. J., announced last week the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ruby Marie Giffin, to Guillermo Schenck Whitehouse. Through her mother, Miss Giffin is a descendant of John Lion Gardiner, of Gardiner's Island. Mr. Whitehouse is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Whitehouse, of Irvington, N. Y. He is a nephew of Norman de R. Whitehouse and a cousin of William Fitzhugh Whitehouse and Worthington Whitehouse. He is a member of the Union and other clubs.

Miss Elizabeth Donald Bruce, daughter of Mrs. James Donald Bruce, will be married to Le Roy Kent Howe on April 11 in the Rutgers Presbyterian Church, Broadway and 72d street. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Robert MacKenzie, and a reception will follow at the home of the bride's mother, Miss Bruce's attendants will be her sister, Mrs.

Scott Scammell, as matron of honor, and Miss Dorothy Mills. Miss Natalie Howe, Miss Mercedes de Zaldo and Miss Helen Stearns. Ralph Howe will serve as his brother's best man.

Mrs. Genevieve Walker, of No. 55 West 91st street, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Eleanor Martin Walker, to Alexis M. Loughran, son of Mrs. Daniel Loughran, of No. 24 Carlton avenue, Brooklyn, and grandson of the late John Loughran, who for thirty-five years was president of the Manufacturers' National Bank, of Brooklyn.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Ernestine Van Wyck Rhein, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Rhein, of No. 23 East 61st street, to Lieutenant John Strong Abbott, attached to the United States ship Dixie. Miss Rhein is a granddaughter of the late Mrs. Francis M. Odell, of Great Neck, Long Island, and a descendant of the Van Wycks who settled on Long Island in the seventeenth century. Lieutenant Abbott is a son of Mrs. John S. Abbott, of this city, and the late Lieutenant John Strong Abbott, U. S. N. Miss Rhein was graduated from Wellesley College in 1910. The wedding will take place in June.

Miss Viola Adelia Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melville Burns Parker, of No. 93 Riverside Drive, was married on Tuesday evening at the Hotel Majestic to Alfred J. McCloud. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Duncan McMillan, of the New York Presbyterian Church. The bride wore a gown of white satin, trimmed with princess lace that had been worn by her grandmother. Her veil was of tulle, edged with duchess lace, and she carried a shower bouquet of white orchids and lilies-of-the-valley.

Miss Edna Parker was her sister's maid of honor and only attendant. She was in pale pink charmuse and shadow lace and carried Killarney roses. George L. McCloud was his brother's best man, and the ushers were Clarence Parker, Arthur Stranger, Alfred Brown and John Breckenridge. Mr. and Mrs. McCloud will live in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Soden, of the Hotel Majestic, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elsie C. Soden, to Edward F. Coombs, of No. 170 West 72d street. Mr. Coombs is a member of Squadron C and a descendant of Ambrose C. Kingsland, who was Mayor of New York from 1855 to 1857. Mr. Coombs is a member of the banking firm of Beyer & Co., president of the Bridgeport Textile Company and Eastern distributor of the Master carburetor.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schroeder Argumbeau, who were married on Monday at the Hotel Majestic, are spending their honeymoon in the South. On their return to the city they will live at the Hotel Belvedere. Mrs. Argumbeau was Miss Dorothy Wheelock Spring. She is a daughter of George W. Spring.

The marriage of Miss Virginia Wetherby, niece of former Governor P. C. Louns-

bury of Connecticut, to Oren E. Stafford, will take place on April 1 at her home, No. 157 West 72d street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scheuer, of No. 1361 Madison avenue, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mabel Scheuer, to Benjamin Robinson.

Mrs. Frederick Nathan, of No. 162 West 96th street, will give a reception on Wednesday at her home.

Mrs. George Francis Kerr gave a luncheon at the Hotel St. Andrew on Tuesday for Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Hite and Mr. and Mrs. John O'Leary.

Mrs. L. L. Brinsmade, of No. 232 West 103d street, will give an auction bridge party on March 19.

Mrs. A. S. Pyatt, of Euclid Hall, gave a card party on Monday for Miss Crane, of Cincinnati, who is visiting her. The guests included Mrs. Bedell Parker, Mrs. Norman Meldrum, Mrs. George A. B. Neil, Mrs. G. E. Fountain, Mrs. M. T. well, Mrs. George Hogan, Mrs. Paul Ward, Mrs. Frank Coster and Mrs. G. Moon.

Mrs. Louis Ralston, of No. 290 79th street, gave a the dance on Tuesday at her home, for Miss Elsie L. Baar, whose engagement to Mrs. Ralston's son, William John Ralston, was recently announced. The hostess was assisted in receiving by Miss Grace Baar, Miss Florence Baar, Miss Ethel Croker, Miss Claire Cornell and Miss Elsie Schwenker. Mrs. W. Johnson Held, Mrs. William Schuette, Mrs. Alfred W. berg and Mrs. Emil Winter were at the table.

Mrs. John Weser gave a bridge on Thursday at her home, No. 881 End avenue. Her guests included Robert Payne, Mrs. James B. Robert Cable, Mrs. Spencer D. William Ranch, Mrs. Winifred Miss Grace Cable.

Mrs. Charles Augustine Baber, Lucerne, West 73d street, will reception on the evening of March 19.

Mrs. John Philbrick Laffin will luncheon on March 20, at 67 West 88th street.

Mrs. Francis McMillan reception on March 21, at 440 Riverside Drive.

Mrs. William Smith Young, daughter, Mr. William Alky will give a bridge on March 21, at her home, No. 300 West 109th street.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Vincent who have been in California since first of the year, will return to New York this week. They will give a the at their home, Paterno Castle, 185 and Riverside Drive, on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. M. Springs, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Troy, N. Y., who Astor for several days, day for a cruise in the the Panama Canal Zone.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Learned on Thursday evening at their No. 84 Gramercy Park, in honor of C. Terafa, of Havana, Cuba. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred W. staff, Jr., Miss Loma Lewis, R. B. Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoge and St. nor Perera. After the dinner Miss M. dred Dilling entertained with a number of selections on the harp.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Ross, who were married in Boston on February 12, have returned from a cruise of the West Indies and the Panama Canal Zone and are at the Hotel Astor for a week, before leaving for their future home in Lafayette, Ind. Mrs. Ross was Miss Louise Brockenbrough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Brockenbrough, of Brookline, Mass.

Mrs. Charles M. Hussey, of New Bedford, are in the city and are staying at the Hotel Belvedere.

Mrs. A. B. Carrington, of No. 308 West 196th street, gave a luncheon followed by bridge on Friday.

Mrs. Maurice O'Meara gave a party on Tuesday at her home, No. West 72d street. The hostess was assisted in receiving by Mrs. William T. Lyon. The guests included Mrs. Cornell Dunlap, Mrs. Asher Lambert, Mrs. Francis Atend, Mrs. George Thomas, Mrs. Joseph Kene, Mrs. Charles Armstrong, Mrs. Jess Watson, Mrs. Bird S. Coler, Mrs. James Watt, Mrs. Louis Compton, Mrs. Charles Florandin, Mrs. Alexander Chandler, Mrs. Clarence L. Fabre, Mrs. Park Woolley, Mrs. Joseph De Long, Mrs. Charles Flint, Mrs. Frank Wall, Mrs. William Haywood, Mrs. Thomas McCarty, Mrs. Harry Randall, Mrs. Henry Hayes Wood, Mrs. James B. Greason, Mrs. Addison Leavens, Mrs. Frank Wall, Mrs. Frank Major, Mrs. George H. Bennett, Mrs. Walter Stewart, Mrs. Albert Bryant, Mrs. Betts, Mrs. Thomas King, Mrs. David O'Meara, Mrs. Bond Stow, Mrs. Miles Charlock, Mrs. Edwin Benson, Mrs. E. Sniffin, Mrs. George Robinson, Mrs. Thomas Napier, Miss Linher, Miss Martin and Miss Hatfield.

Mrs. Francis Ernest Hadley, of No. 28 West 87th street, is giving a series of dinners on Saturday evenings. The one last week was in honor of Miss Elizabeth